

FAAM facility for airborne atmospheric measurements

FLIGHT FOLDER



Flight No.: B314
Date: 02 August 2007
Take Off 15:21:21Z
Landing: 16:48:47Z
Flight Time 1h 27

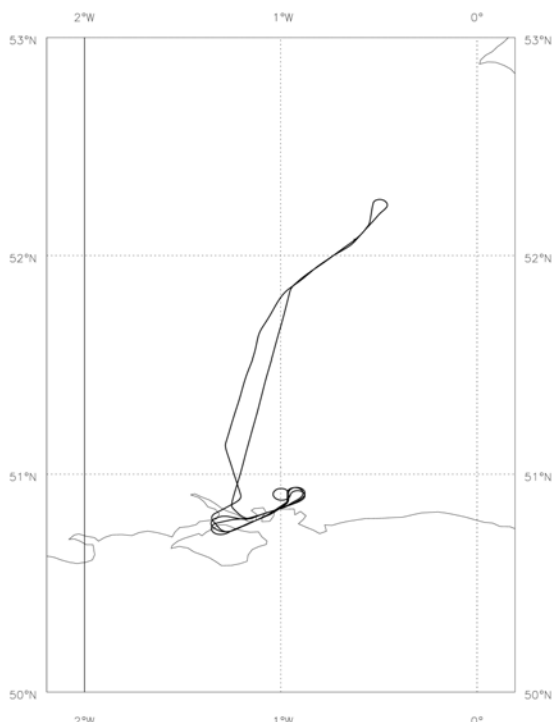
Campaign: NEON

Operating Area: Portsmouth Trial for NEON

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Flight Track:

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FLIGHT SUMMARY

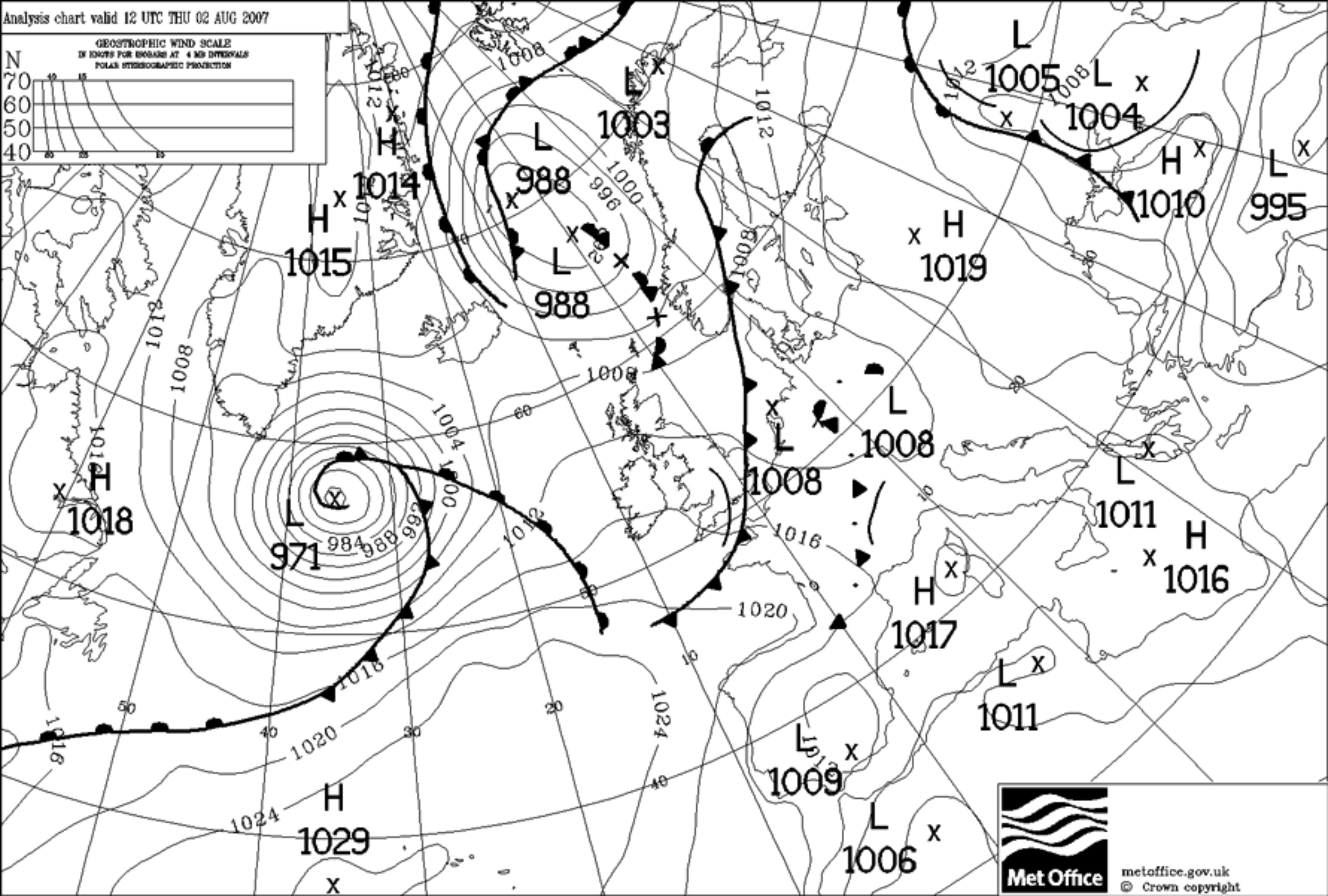
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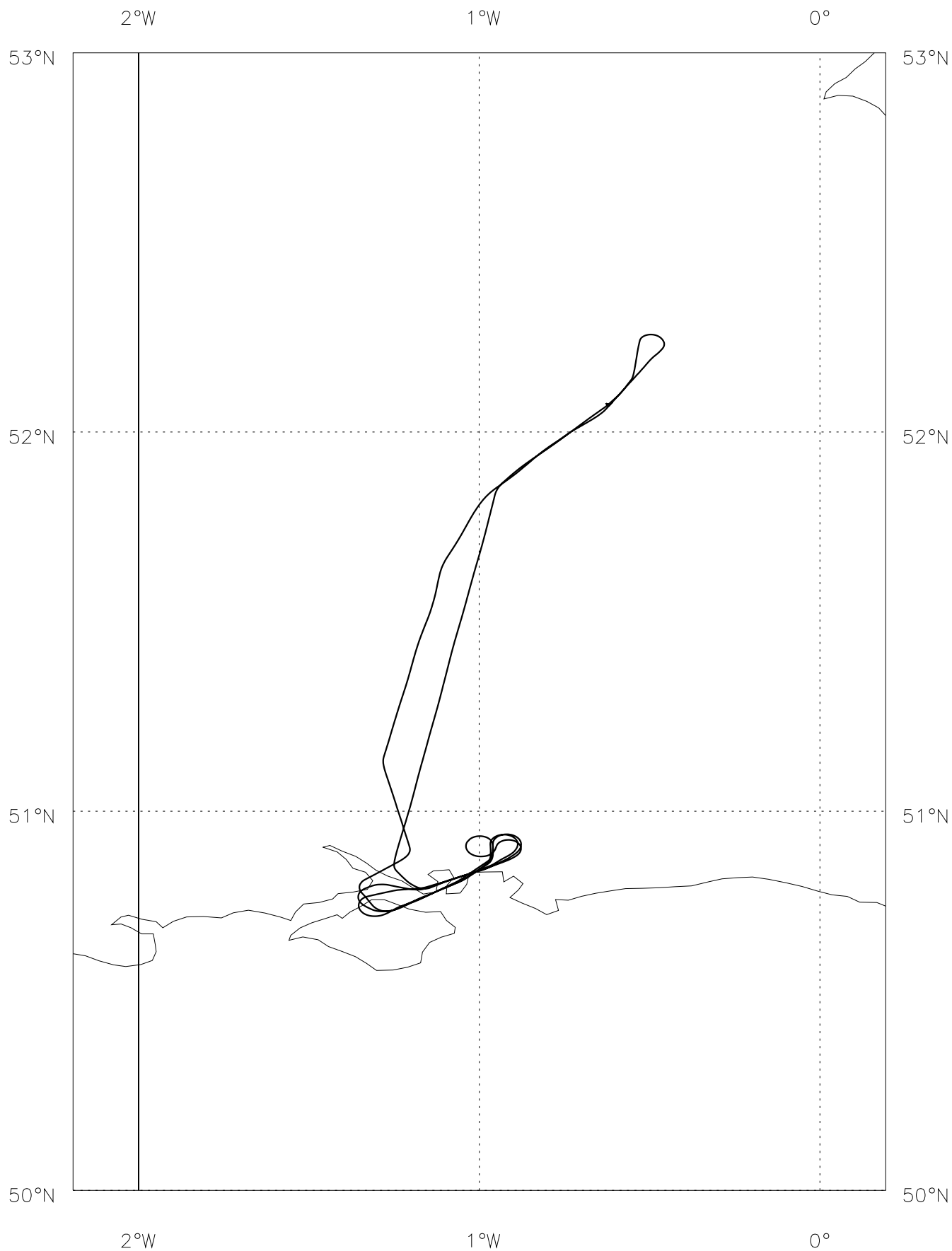
Project: NEON

Location: Portsmouth Harbour

Start Time	End Time	Event	Height (s)	Hdg Comments
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145652		Start-Up	0.31 kft	125 52'04.36N, 0'37.50W
152121		T/O	1.2 kft	225 Cranfield
153041		Videos	9.8 kft	198 Start UFC & Spotter
154249	154612	Run 1.1	2.1 kft	054 2.1k',SW-NE , 0.45nm
154439		Event	2.1 kft	058 In sight
155139	155433	Run 1.2	2.1 kft	235 2.1k', NE-SW, 0.45nm
155359		Event	2.1 kft	246 In sight
155829	160205	Run 1.3	2.1 kft	067 2.1k',SW-NE,0.45nm S
160030		Event	2.1 kft	054 In sight
160451	160757	Run 1.4	2.1 kft	226 2.1k',NE-SW,0.45N
160718		Event	2.1 kft	251 In sight
161128	161517	Run 1.5	2.1 kft	058 2.1k',ZW-NE,0.45nm S
161349		Event	2.1 kft	056 In sight
161812	162108	Run 1.6	2.1 kft	230 2.1k',NE-SW,0.45nm N
162035		Event	2.1 kft	244 In sight
164847		Land	0.31 kft	356 Cranfield
165146		Video	0.30 kft	309 Stop tapes
165238		Shutdown	0.30 kft	309 52'04.36N, 0'37.48W



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SORTIE BRIEF

Flights B313 & B314 (Portsmouth Trial for NEON)

2 Aug 2007

Mission Scientist: Andreas Keil/Simon Osborne

Trial Objectives

Take pictures with the IR camera of a specific stationary ship at Portsmouth Harbour.
Pictures from various directions are required, in particular of the stern area of the ship.

Take off

10:30 local (B313); 15:30 local (B314)

Location

HM Naval Base Portsmouth, No.3 Basin, north of the quay in the easterly part
(N50deg/48.458 min; W01deg/05.777 min)

Weather

Ideally totally cloud free conditions required, but definitely no rain.

Instrumentation Required

Main: IR camera, middle lens fitted (possibly to be changed for second flight), 10 Hz data acquisition frequency; Spotter Camera working
Addition: core temperature, water vapour, aerosol instruments (PCASP)

Special Conditions + Hints

- **ALL IR PICTURES TAKEN WILL BE RESTRICTED!**
- The ship will be aligned West to East.
- Flight Heights below 2k ft will not be allowed.
- To achieve a sufficient resolution, we would like to use the most narrow (telescope) lens of the IR camera, but to increase the change of getting the ship in the field of view will use the middle lens for B313. This potentially to be changed for B314.
- [Get information on ground-based visibility at Portsmouth Harbour]

Flight Pattern

1. Take off and transit to Portsmouth Harbour (30 min.)
--- Over/nearby ship-----
2. Approach the ship and visualize its location at lowest possible altitude (B313 only)
3. Fly a SW→NE approach at 2,000ft for IR cam pics of the ship (about 0.47nm displacement to the right of the ship required)
4. Fly a NE→SW approach at 2,000ft for IR cam pics of the ship (again about 0.47nm displaced to the right of the ship)
5. Repeat 3 and 4 at least twice, maybe three time (depending on success and timing)
- if flight restrictions demand change of heading to get the ship in the field of view, this causes no scientific problems, also changes in roll angle are uncritical; it is mainly important to achieve a clear view of the ship and get IR cam pictures from various directions; this might also involve flying at other altitudes than 2000ft, if e.g. at higher altitudes it turns out to be easier to get pictures of the ship -

6. Transit back to Cranfield and Landing (30 min.).

Total time: about 2 hours per flight = 4 hours on the day

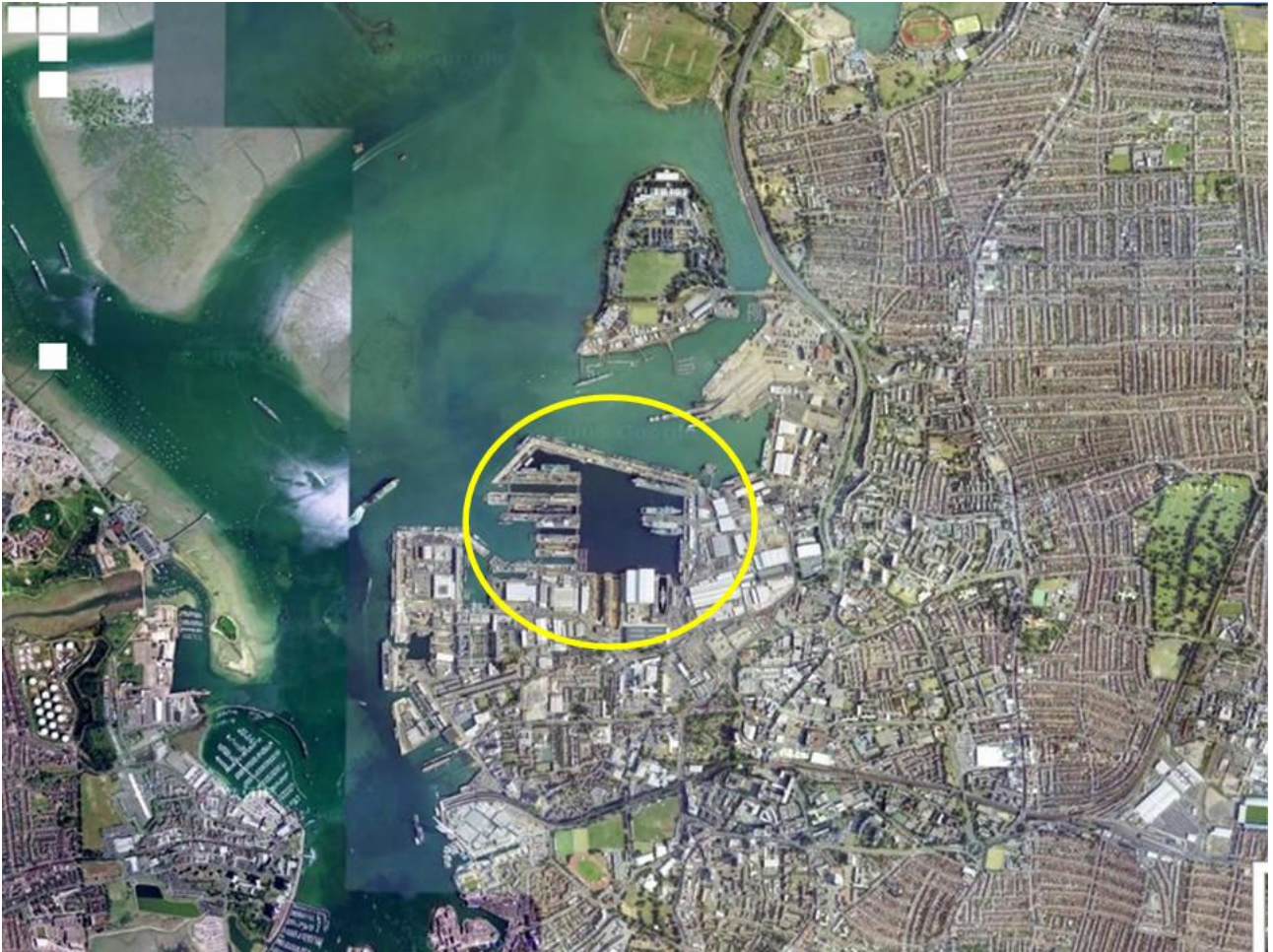


Fig. 1: Aerial photograph of Portsmouth Harbour. The Naval Base of interest is encircled.



Fig. 2 Ship of interest. In particular IR camera pictures of the stern area of the ship are of interest. Length of the ship: 174 m; Breadth 23 m

Appendix A:

Height – Distance Conversion

The horizontal shift S of flight legs parallel to the runway to keep the runway in the view of the IR camera is dependent on the angle Y the camera is looking below the horizontal and the flight height H:

$$S \text{ (nautical miles)} = H \text{ (ft)} / \tan(Y) * 0.3048 * 0.54E-03$$

Assuming IR camera view = 35 degrees down the horizontal:

(Use EXCEL sheet to compute distances for other angles, <http://metresearch.net/CAESAR/>)

Ideal NEON flight levels marked with an X	Flight Height (ft)	Displacement right of runway (nautical miles)	Flight Height (km)	Displacement (km)	Displacement (statute miles)	IR camera viewing distance (km)
missed approach: X	0	0	0	0	0	0
X	500	0.118	0.152	0.218	0.135	0.12
X	1000	0.235	0.305	0.435	0.270	0.53
	2000	0.470	0.610	0.871	0.541	
X	3000	0.705	0.914	1.306	0.811	1.59
	4000	0.940	1.219	1.741	1.082	
X	5000	1.175	1.524	2.176	1.352	2.66
	6000	1.410	1.829	2.612	1.623	
	7000	1.645	2.134	3.047	1.893	
	8000	1.880	2.438	3.482	2.164	4.25
	9000	2.115	2.743	3.918	2.434	
X	10000	2.350	3.048	4.353	2.705	5.31
	12000	2.821	3.658	5.224	3.246	
(X)	14000	3.291	4.267	6.094	3.787	7.44
	27000	6.346	8.230	11.753	7.303	

Table 1: Displacement for straight and level runs to keep the runway in the FoV of the IR camera (Y=35 degrees).

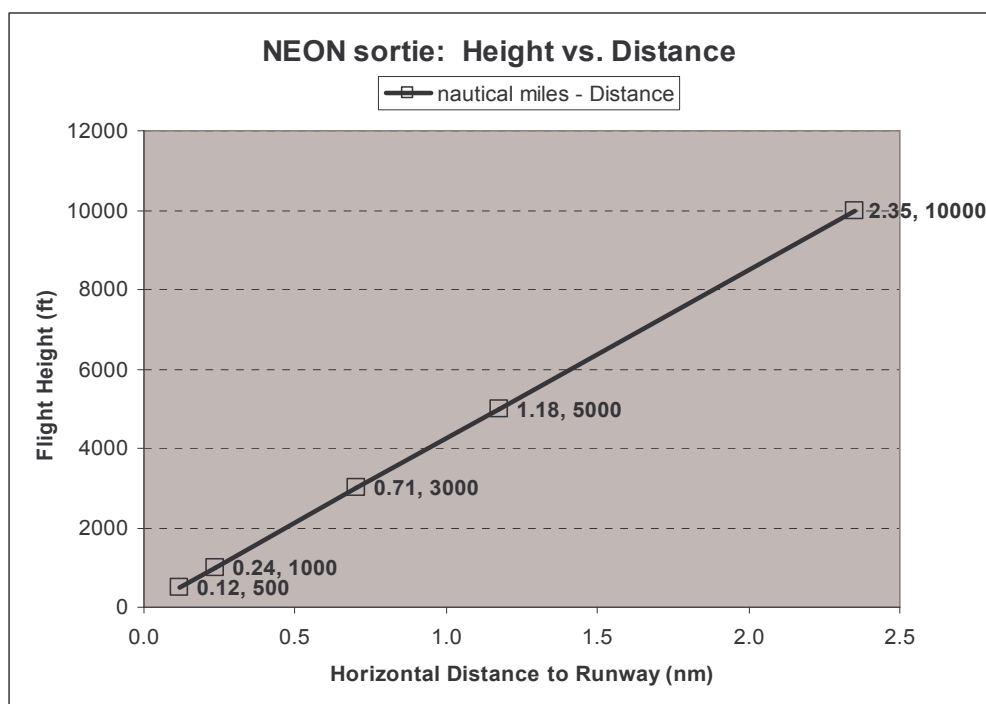


Fig. A: Displacement graph (Y=35 degrees).

Appendix B:

Height – Resolution/Area relation

The resolution or covered area achieved with the various IR lenses at various flight heights.

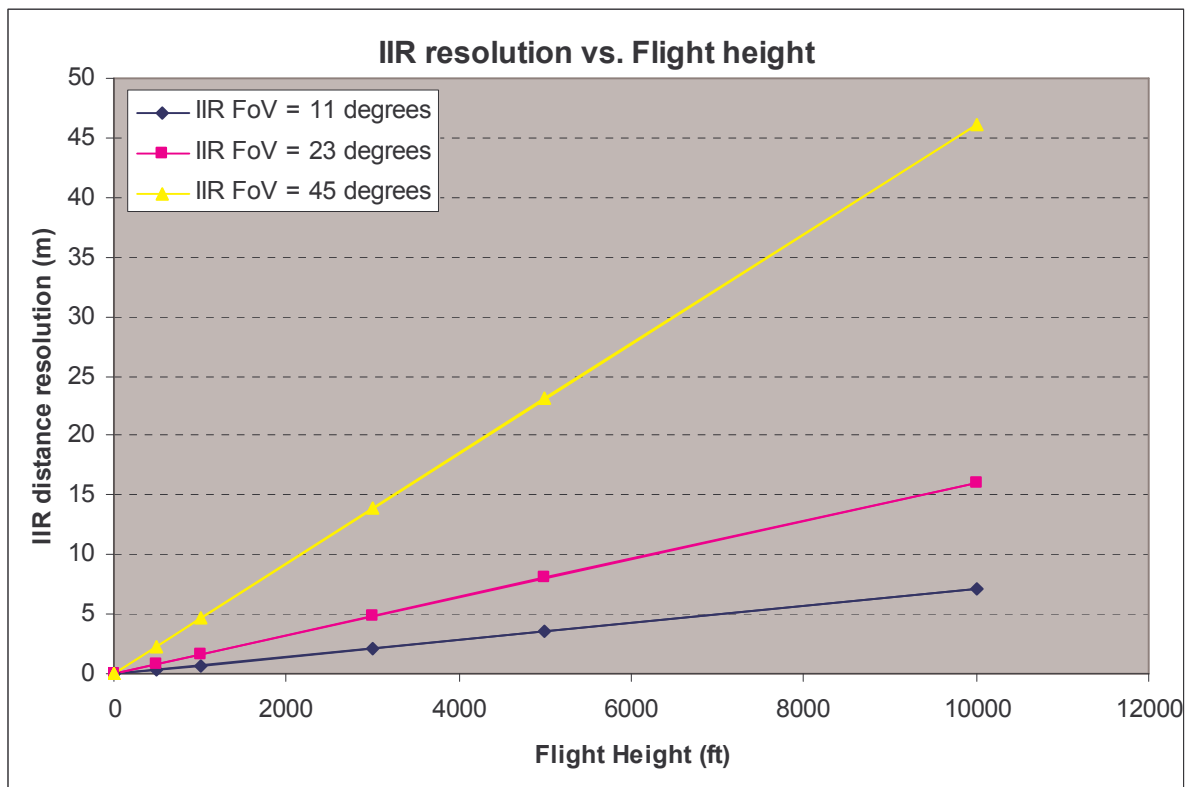


Fig. B1: Resolution vs. Height.

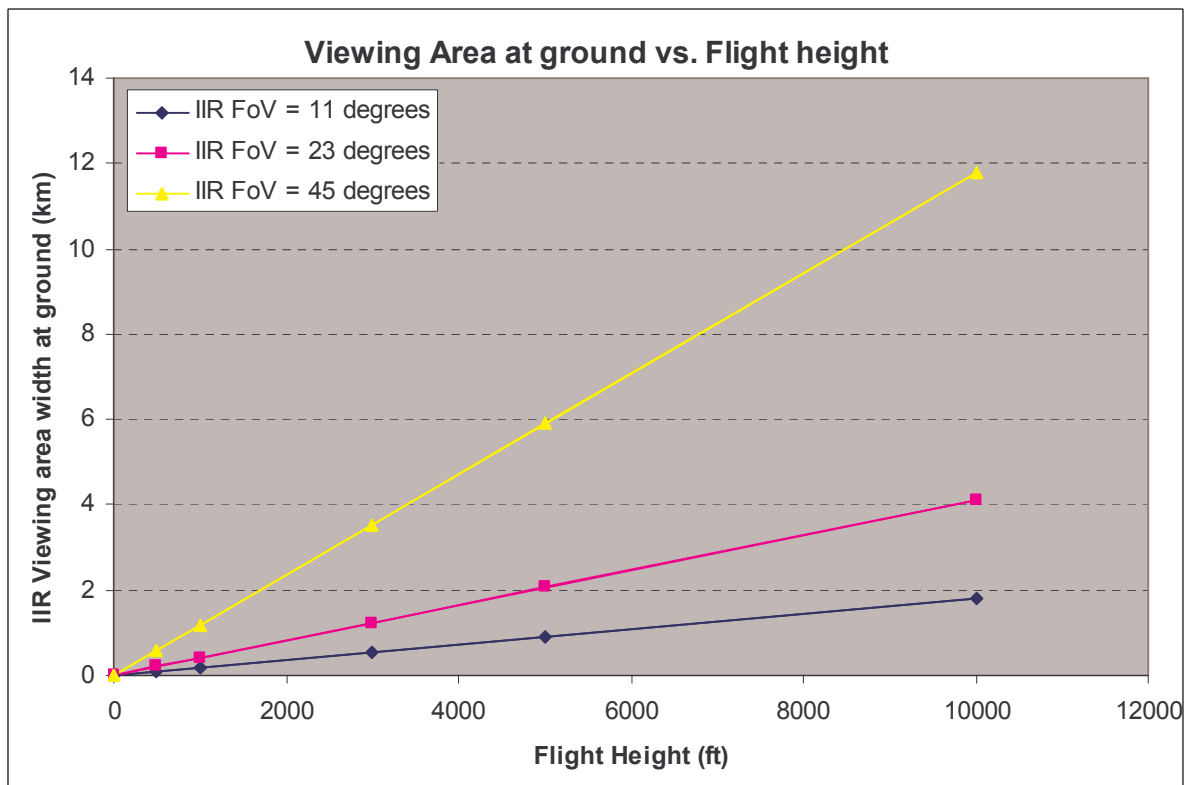


Fig. B2: Area vs. Height.

Mission Scientist's debrief sheet

B314

2nd August 2007

Summary of the synoptic weather conditions:

Cold front moving relatively quickly NW to SW (frontal band itself orientated SW to NE), with heaviest rain over West Country and south Wales in the morning. The front weakened as it moved towards the Portsmouth area mid afternoon, but light rain still falling. Rising pressure in ridge conditions post front. The front cleared through Portsmouth ~1430z. Light westerly winds.

Summary of the flight:

The second of two NEON sorties on this day- see also B313. A successful flight was carried out to take IR camera photographs of the Royal Navy ship Oakleaf that was docked in Portsmouth harbour. Scientific personnel were on board Oakleaf during the day to make in-situ skin temperature measurements of various parts of the ship. The cold front had cleared through and sunny (but not cloud free; 7/8 Ci, scattered light Cu bases above run height) conditions were encountered during the flight; so the ship was dry and warmer than during the earlier flight B313.

A series of six straight and level runs (generally between 2-4 mins long) was carried out at 2100ft (minimum permitted altitude) on a SW/NE line (headings of ~050deg and ~240deg) overpassing the Portsmouth docks. For the runs heading NE, the aircraft was offset approx 0.4 nautical miles to the south of the ship. For the runs heading SW, the aircraft was offset approx 0.4 nautical miles to the north of the ship. Of the 6 runs, three were fully successful hits of the ship i.e. in the camera field of view (R1.1 SW-->NE; R1.4 NE-->SW; R1.6 NE-->SW), so both sides of the ship were photographed.

Pollution levels in terms of aerosol were fairly high, generally around 1400 /cc on the PCASP with some plumes from an oil refinery in the SW end of the runs. Particles were predominantly sub-micron in size.

Instrumentation:

IR camera fitted with high telescope lens (max. resolution).
Software adjusted to record frames at 10 Hz.

Mission Scientist's Log

NEON FLIGHT # 2 of the day

S. ROOSBORNE

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GMT	Run / Profile	Height	Hdg	GPS Position	Remarks (clouds, weather, visibility, winds, sea state etc.)
1520					T/O CRANFIELD. overcast sky, but 'brighter'. No rain!
1530		FL100			TRANSIT. above ^{4/8} Cu field
1540		2000'			7 Ci above. Quite sunny. Individual refiners coming up.
		2100'			RHS → lots of smoke seen.
154248	R1.1	2100'	051	50°42'N 1°12'W	Near 0.55m 2.5 x 10 ⁻⁶ m ³ = BL
154430	R1.1	2100'			Start Run! (SW → NE) Abeam ship! * <u>Perfect hit</u> *
154611	R1.1	2100'	044	50°48'N 0°54'W	@ 0.45m offset to the south. End Run. Good sunshine. Should be a warm, dry ship. PCASP ~ 1400 u! Higher than before.
155139	R1.2	2100'	235	50°48'N 0°48'W	Lines recovered well after rain fall.
155353	R1.2	@ 2100'			Start Run NE → SW.
1554?	R1.2	2100'			Abeam ship now(?) just a bit off.
155826	R1.3	2100'		50°42'N 1°12'W	End Run. <u>Perfect hit</u> ..
160025	R1.3	2100'			Start Run. SW → NE.
160205	R1.3	2100'		50°48'N 0°54'W	Abeam ship (?) 0.45m <u>MISS</u>
160449	R1.4	2100'		50°48'N 0°48'W	End Run.
160715	R1.4	2100'			Start Run. (NE → SW)
160758	R1.4	2100'		50°42'N 1°06'W	Abeam ship now. <u>Good hit</u> #2
161128	R1.5	2100'		50°42'N 1°12'W	End Run. Start Run SW → NE

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S. R. OSBORNE

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CLOUD PHYSICS LOG Flight B314

Date: 02/08/07	Operator: KFT	DRS Time: 08:19:00	DAU1 Time: +0	DAU2 Time: +0	DAU3 Time: +0	Aux1 Time: +0	Aux2 Time: +0	Page 1 of 1
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CLOUD PHYSICS PROCESSING LOG

Flight number: B314
Date of flight: 02/08/07

T/O: 15:21:21
Land: 16:48:47

A) FFSSP PROCESSING		To Exeter
Processing Stage	Done?	Comments
1) Transfer *.txt files from DVD to processing PC Bnnn_FFSSP_hh.txt for each hour of data Bnnn_FFSSP_HVMS.txt		hh = Last sec processed =
2) FTP the files (ascii) from the PC to directory PMSDATA: on FLOODS		File size =
3) FLOODS> RUN MRFB:[PMS.FAST_FFSSP]FFSSP_EXTRACT_TAS a) Flight number: Bnnn b) Path name: MFDDATA:Bnnn_MFDX c) Output directory: PMSDATA: d) Start time: 0 if unknown (see comment box) e) End time: 240000 if unknown		Use time just before/after take-off/landing. If T/O /landing just after/before the hour, ensure start/end time is before/after the hour if there is an FFSSP_hh.txt file for that hour.
4) FLOODS> RUN MRFB:[PMS.FAST_FFSSP]FFSSP_PROCESS_TXT a) Flight number: Bnnn b) Directory: PMSDATA: c) TAS in processing: Y d) Vel threshold (clicks) 0 e) Calibration file: Use the most recent calibration file. Format FFSSP_CALddmmyyyy.txt Calibration files to be stored in MRFB:[PMS.FAST_FFSSP] f) Adjust FFSSP time Y/N g) If Y, enter value to add to data time (seconds)		Total glitches = Sec file written ok? Note calibration file used Yes only if gross errors occur in FFSSP time eg; ~ 1hour
5) FLOODS> WAVE a) WAVE> write procffssp_to_m5,'pmsdata:Bnnn_procffssp.dat', 'mfddata:Bnnn_mfdX','pmsdata:Bnnn_m5procffssp',/auto b) WAVE> exit		Use PVWAVE for this section Note time correction applied to FFSSP by /auto =
6) FLOODS> MODIFY a) Modifying datasets: pmsdata:Bnnn_m5procffssp b) Dataset: mfddata:Bnnn_mfdX c) New dataset: mfddata:Bnnn_mfdY (y=x+1) d) Parameter description file: leave blank to use default		Input file size = M5 output file size =
7) CHECKS: i). Are FFSSP and JW/Nevzorov LWC synchronized in time? In flight_plot, parameters JW LWC para 535 Nevzorov LWC para 602 FFSSP LWC para 1202 ii). If not, repeat from step 5b replacing /auto with addt=x which adds x+20 secs to FFSSP time.		Synchronized?

2D PROCESSING		REPROCESS +1hr
Processing Stage	Done?	Comments
1) Transfer Bnnn.dat file from CD/DVD to PC	Y	
2) Zip up file on PC (Bnnn.zip)	Y	
3) FTP the zipped file (binary) from the PC to the directory SEADAS_DATA:[SEADAS_DATA] on FLOODS	Y	4877 blocks
4) Log on to FLOODS		
5) Unzip SEADAS_DATA:[SEADAS_DATA]Bnnn.zip	Y	Size of Bnnn.dat = 44219
6) FLOODS> WAVE WAVE> CONVERT_SEADAS_FILE a) Input file: SEADAS_DATA:[SEADAS_DATA]Bnnn.dat b) Output file: SEADAS_DATA:[SEADAS_DATA]Bnnn_seadas.dat WAVE> exit	Y	Use PVWAVE for this section Blocks read = 12746 Blocks written = 12746 Bad reads = 0
7) FLOODS> RUN MRFB:[PMS.SEADAS]READM200_FILE a) Default directory: PMSDATA: b) Flight number: Bnnn c) Disk file name: SEADAS_DATA:[SEADAS_DATA]Bnnn_seadas.dat d) Comment string: e) Start time: <i>0 if unknown (T/O – 5 min)</i> f) End time: <i>240000 if unknown (Land + 5 min)</i> g) Read 2DC: Y h) Read 2DP: Y i) Secondary data: Y j) FSP-SYNC: Y k) cmd.str: Y l) Auto time correction: N m) Full length secondary: N	Y	 Start = 151500 End = 165500 Ignore error message scroll (vestigial error from tapes) Are FRW, FSP, IMB, PCA,SEC files in PMSDATA? Y Are they non-zero in size? Y
8) FLOODS> WAVE	Y	2D image display and printing
i). WAVE> imagedisplay a) 2D directory name: PMSDATA: b) Flight number: Bnnn c) File generation no: 0 d) Time from IWC plot: N e) Select probe: (1) 2DC (2) 2DP f) Start time: <i>As in 7e above</i> g) End time: <i>As in 7f above</i> h) Time interval (sec): 5 recommended (0 for all images)		Must be done from FLOODS itself. Note any problems with images Only 1 2dc image – noise?
ii). WAVE> auto_image a) 2D directory name: PMSDATA: b) Flight number: Bnnn c) Enter date: YYYYMMDD d) Enter start time: <i>0 if unknown (T/O – 1 min)</i> e) Enter end time: <i>240000 if unknown (Land – 1 min)</i> f) Enter time interval (sec) between successive imaged blocks: 10	0 for 2DC	Prepare imagery for Core data From own PC again Start = 151500 End = 165500 As misses images otherwise FAAM_YYYYMMDD_R0_ Bnnn_2Dx-images.ps Notes on this in instructions 1 page 2dc 1 page 2dp
iii). WAVE> exit to create files iv). FTP ascii *.PS files from PMSDATA: to PC v). Load each into Ghostview or other pdf-converter vi). Output as pdf file (720 dpi resolution), appending name prefix of CORE-CLOUD-PHY to converted files		

9) FLOODS> RUN MRFB:[PMS.SPEC2D.AUTO]PROCESS2D_AUTO a) Flight number: Bnnn b) Directory: PMSDATA: c) File generation: <i>Hit enter</i> d) Time correction: <i>Time offset of the 2D data</i> e) TAS: Y f) MFD directory: MFDDATA:Bnnn_MFDX g) Probe number: (1) 2DC (2) 2DP (0) Both <i>0 unless either probe known to be faulty</i> h) Start time: <i>0 if unknown (T/O + 30sec)</i> i) End time: <i>240000 if unknown (Land – 30sec)</i> j) Nominal averaging: 0.2 seconds for conversion to M5 k) Particle type 2DC: 8 if known to be in ice cloud 11 if known to be in water cloud l) Particle type 2DP: 8 if known to be in mixed-phase 8 if unknown m) Coefficient choice: 2 n) Output root filename: PMSDATA:Bnnn_PROC2D	Y	NB. an error message may appear, floating point exception, rerun and use time quoted in error message, repeat until successful. X = b314_tas Start = 152000 End = 165000 Time data processed to = 113350 2dproc files present? Y *.2dc, *.2dp and *.dat
10) FLOODS> WAVE i) WAVE> WRITE_PROC2D_TO_M5, 'PMSDATA:BNNN_PROC2D.DAT', 'PMSDATA:BNNN_M5PROC2D' ii). exit	Y	Use PVWAVE for this section Error message about HDDR file should be ignored. Records = 79, 178
11) FLOODS> MODIFY a) Modifying datasets: pmsdata:Bnnn_m5proc2D b) Datset: mfddata:Bnnn_mfdX c) New dataset: mfddata:Bnnn_mfdY d) Parameter description file: leave blank to use default	Y	X = _tas Y = (X+1) = _tas_2d
12) CHECKS: Are 2DC/2DP IWC of comparable magnitude and well-correlated with Nevzorov TWC? <i>In flight_plot, parameters</i> <i>Nevzerov TWC para 605</i> <i>2DC IWC para 1302</i> <i>2DP IWC para 1312</i>	N	Data present in _tas_2d Correlated?

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C) PCASP PROCESSING		
Processing Stage	Done?	Comments
1) Complete stage 7) in 2D processing Ensures Bnnn_FSP.DAT containing raw PCASP data is written to directory PMSDATA:	Y	
2) FLOODS> RUN MRFB:[PMS.PCASP]PROCPCASP_NEW a) Flight number: Bnnn b) File name: PMSDATA:Bnnn_FSP.DAT c) Root output name: PMSDATA:Bnnn_PROCPCASP Produces PMSDATA:Bnnn_PROCPCASP.DAT (binary) PMSDATA:Bnnn_PROCPCASP.OUT (ascii) d) Minimum size channel: <i>default = 1</i> <i>If smallest size channel are known to be noisy the value of the highest noise free channel to be entered here</i> e) Calibration volume flow rate: <i>Use the most recent value. 1.8ccs^{-1}</i> <i>Calibration files to be stored in Exeter</i> <i>Entering zero gives default value = $1.0\text{cm}^3\text{s}^{-1}$</i> f) Time correction: <i>Same value as used in 2D processing stage 9d</i> g) Start time: <i>0 if unknown</i> h) End time: <i>240000 if unknown</i>	Y	Min size = 1 Vol flow rate = 1.0 152100 164900
3) FLOODS> WAVE i).WAVE> write_procpcasp_to_m5, 'pmsdata:Bnnn_procpcasp.dat', 'pmsdata:Bnnn_m5procpcasp' ii). WAVE> exit	Y	Use PVWAVE for this section
4) FLOODS> MODIFY a) Modifying datasets: pmsdata:Bnnn_m5procpcasp b) Dataset: mfddata:Bnnn_mfdX c) New dataset: mfddata:Bnnn_mfdY d) Parameter description file: <i>leave blank to use default</i>	Y	X = _tas Y = X+1 = _tas_2dpcasp
5) CHECKS Are PCASP and JW peaks synchronous? <i>In flight_plot, parameters</i> <i>Neph – total blue scatter.</i> <i>PCASP conc para 1550</i>	N	Data present in tas_2dpcasp Merged OK?

B314_SWS_SHIMS_EventLog.txt

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14:36:55.93 --- - - - -
14:36:55.93 --- - - - - +++ SOFTWARE START/RESTART +++
14:36:55.93 --- - - - - +++ hh:mm:ss.ff / Instr / Posn / Period /
                        tVIS/ tNIR / Comment +++
14:36:55.93 --- - - - - +++ Flight no. B314
14:36:55.93 --- - - - -
14:37:10.28 SWS - - - - Initialization: VIS OK NIR OK
14:37:10.37 USH - - - - Initialization: VIS OK NIR OK
14:37:10.48 LSH - - - - Initialization: VIS OK NIR OK
14:37:40.97 --- - - - - Reset shutters.
14:37:44.18 --- - - - - Reset shutters.
14:37:47.38 USH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:37:47.40 SWS - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:37:47.43 LSH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:37:49.09 LSH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:37:55.63 SWS - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:37:55.89 USH - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:37:56.09 LSH - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:37:56.19 SWS - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:37:56.49 USH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:37:56.68 LSH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:38:02.66 --- - - - - Reset shutters.
14:38:05.87 --- - - - - Reset shutters.
14:38:10.11 SWS - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:38:10.30 USH - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:38:10.50 LSH - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:38:10.70 SWS - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:38:10.94 USH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:38:11.09 LSH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:38:17.90 SWS - - 990 - VIS int.time changed from 10ms to 990ms.
14:38:21.23 SWS - - - 990 NIR int.time changed from 10ms to 990ms.
14:38:25.05 USH - - 990 - VIS int.time changed from 10ms to 990ms.
14:38:28.33 USH - - - 990 NIR int.time changed from 10ms to 990ms.
14:38:31.79 LSH - - 990 - VIS int.time changed from 10ms to 990ms.
14:38:35.19 LSH - - - 990 NIR int.time changed from 10ms to 990ms.
14:38:41.70 LSH - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:38:42.18 SWS - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:38:42.18 USH - - - - Dark measurement started.
14:38:52.04 LSH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:38:52.52 SWS - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:38:52.73 USH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
14:39:03.37 SWS - - 25 - VIS int.time changed from 990ms to 25ms.
14:39:06.84 SWS - - - 25 NIR int.time changed from 990ms to 25ms.
14:39:17.51 USH - - 50 - VIS int.time changed from 990ms to 50ms.
14:39:21.79 USH - - - 25 NIR int.time changed from 990ms to 25ms.
14:39:31.97 LSH - - 50 - VIS int.time changed from 990ms to 50ms.
14:39:36.24 LSH - - - 50 NIR int.time changed from 990ms to 50ms.
14:39:56.38 SWS - - - - Idling
14:39:56.41 LSH - - - - Idling
14:39:56.41 USH - - - - Idling
15:23:39.72 SWS 174R - - - - Telescope position set to 174R
15:23:43.52 SWS - - 150 - VIS int.time changed from 25ms to 150ms.
15:23:46.54 SWS - - - 150 NIR int.time changed from 25ms to 150ms.
15:23:49.53 --- - - - - Reset shutters.
15:23:55.19 LSH - - 150 - VIS int.time changed from 50ms to 150ms.
15:23:57.78 LSH - - - 150 NIR int.time changed from 50ms to 150ms.
15:24:02.34 SWS - - 300 - VIS int.time changed from 150ms to 300ms.
15:24:12.88 SWS - - - - Dark measurement started.
15:24:16.79 SWS - - - - Idling
15:24:18.91 SWS - - - - Manual scene recording started.
15:24:23.56 LSH - - - - Dark measurement started.
15:24:25.97 LSH - - - - Idling
15:24:27.13 LSH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
15:24:30.90 USH - - - - Dark measurement started.
15:24:31.85 USH - - - - Idling
15:24:33.93 USH - - - - Manual scene recording started.
15:24:37.80 SWS - - 200 - VIS int.time changed from 300ms to 200ms.

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15:24:42.73	SWS	-	-	-	200	NIR int.time changed from 150ms to 200ms.
15:24:45.98	USH	-	-	75	-	VIS int.time changed from 50ms to 75ms.
15:24:48.78	USH	-	-	-	75	NIR int.time changed from 25ms to 75ms.
15:24:51.53	USH	-	-	-	200	NIR int.time changed from 75ms to 200ms.
15:24:54.32	LSH	-	-	-	300	NIR int.time changed from 150ms to 300ms.
15:24:58.06	LSH	-	-	250	-	VIS int.time changed from 150ms to 250ms.
15:25:02.05	LSH	-	-	-	400	NIR int.time changed from 300ms to 400ms.
15:25:07.13	LSH	-	-	300	-	VIS int.time changed from 250ms to 300ms.
15:25:10.98	LSH	-	-	350	-	VIS int.time changed from 300ms to 350ms.
15:25:17.24	LSH	-	-	500	-	VIS int.time changed from 350ms to 500ms.
15:25:23.55	LSH	-	-	-	500	NIR int.time changed from 400ms to 500ms.
15:25:29.92	USH	-	-	100	-	VIS int.time changed from 75ms to 100ms.
15:25:32.66	USH	-	-	-	300	NIR int.time changed from 200ms to 300ms.
15:25:37.77	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:25:37.77	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:25:37.80	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:25:40.20	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:25:41.42	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:25:43.61	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:27:15.80	LSH	-	-	750	-	VIS int.time changed from 500ms to 750ms.
15:27:18.52	LSH	-	-	-	990	NIR int.time changed from 500ms to 990ms.
15:27:22.46	LSH	-	-	990	-	VIS int.time changed from 750ms to 990ms.
15:29:32.36	SWS	-	-	100	-	VIS int.time changed from 200ms to 100ms.
15:29:37.06	LSH	-	-	300	-	VIS int.time changed from 990ms to 300ms.
15:29:42.74	LSH	-	-	200	-	VIS int.time changed from 300ms to 200ms.
15:29:49.01	SWS	-	-	75	-	VIS int.time changed from 100ms to 75ms.
15:29:53.32	SWS	-	-	25	-	VIS int.time changed from 75ms to 25ms.
15:29:55.66	SWS	-	-	-	150	NIR int.time changed from 200ms to 150ms.
15:29:59.21	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:29:59.22	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:29:59.56	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:30:01.15	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:30:02.84	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:30:09.97	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:37:35.46	LSH	-	-	75	-	VIS int.time changed from 200ms to 75ms.
15:37:38.57	LSH	-	-	-	300	NIR int.time changed from 990ms to 300ms.
15:37:44.69	LSH	-	-	-	350	NIR int.time changed from 300ms to 350ms.
15:37:49.91	LSH	-	-	-	400	NIR int.time changed from 350ms to 400ms.
15:37:55.82	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:38:00.28	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:38:05.40	LSH	-	-	150	-	VIS int.time changed from 75ms to 150ms.
15:39:03.94	SWS	-	-	75	-	VIS int.time changed from 25ms to 75ms.
15:39:10.91	SWS	-	-	100	-	VIS int.time changed from 75ms to 100ms.
15:39:22.99	SWS	-	-	150	-	VIS int.time changed from 100ms to 150ms.
15:39:31.98	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:39:31.99	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:39:32.02	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:39:33.93	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:39:35.62	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:39:36.89	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:41:30.13	SWS	174R	-	-	-	Telescope position set to 174R
15:41:54.21	---	-	-	-	-	*** had shifted slightly
15:42:01.86	SWS	-	-	200	-	VIS int.time changed from 150ms to 200ms.
15:42:04.65	SWS	-	-	-	200	NIR int.time changed from 150ms to 200ms.
15:42:09.31	LSH	-	-	200	-	VIS int.time changed from 150ms to 200ms.
15:42:12.51	LSH	-	-	-	500	NIR int.time changed from 400ms to 500ms.
15:42:15.54	USH	-	-	150	-	VIS int.time changed from 100ms to 150ms.
15:42:19.25	USH	-	-	-	350	NIR int.time changed from 300ms to 350ms.
15:43:01.58	SWS	-	-	-	350	NIR int.time changed from 200ms to 350ms.
15:43:06.23	LSH	-	-	-	990	NIR int.time changed from 500ms to 990ms.
15:43:09.32	LSH	-	-	990	-	VIS int.time changed from 200ms to 990ms.
15:43:14.88	SWS	-	-	300	-	VIS int.time changed from 200ms to 300ms.
15:43:17.52	SWS	-	-	-	500	NIR int.time changed from 350ms to 500ms.
15:43:21.13	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:43:21.13	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:43:21.21	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:43:25.09	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:43:26.77	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:43:31.88	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.

15:43:43.25	SWS	-	-	-	750	NIR int.time changed from 500ms to 750ms.
15:43:54.00	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:44:01.93	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:44:09.74	SWS	-	-	-	400	NIR int.time changed from 750ms to 400ms.
15:44:34.41	SWS	-	-	250	-	VIS int.time changed from 300ms to 250ms.
15:44:37.01	LSH	-	-	750	-	VIS int.time changed from 990ms to 750ms.
15:44:40.68	LSH	-	-	500	-	VIS int.time changed from 750ms to 500ms.
15:44:57.18	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:44:57.18	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:44:57.70	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:45:01.32	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:45:01.66	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:45:08.05	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:54:15.51	SWS	-	-	-	990	NIR int.time changed from 400ms to 990ms.
15:54:22.42	SWS	-	-	-	500	NIR int.time changed from 990ms to 500ms.
15:54:57.40	SWS	6F	-	-	-	Telescope position set to 6F
15:55:01.06	SWS	-	-	200	-	VIS int.time changed from 250ms to 200ms.
15:55:07.38	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:55:07.41	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:55:07.82	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:55:11.52	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:55:12.81	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:55:18.16	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:55:19.80	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:55:20.09	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:55:20.40	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
15:55:24.02	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:55:25.25	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:55:30.76	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
15:55:58.50	SWS	-	-	150	-	VIS int.time changed from 200ms to 150ms.
15:56:03.48	SWS	-	-	100	-	VIS int.time changed from 150ms to 100ms.
16:01:28.00	SWS	-	-	75	-	VIS int.time changed from 100ms to 75ms.
16:01:34.27	SWS	-	-	-	400	NIR int.time changed from 500ms to 400ms.
16:01:37.52	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:01:37.52	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:01:38.06	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:01:41.65	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:01:41.99	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:01:48.40	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:02:40.16	SWS	-	-	-	350	NIR int.time changed from 400ms to 350ms.
16:02:43.71	SWS	-	-	-	300	NIR int.time changed from 350ms to 300ms.
16:03:04.30	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:03:04.32	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:03:04.69	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:03:07.95	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:03:08.24	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:03:15.09	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:08:32.45	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:08:32.50	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:08:32.60	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:08:36.33	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:08:36.60	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:08:42.79	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:14:42.46	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:14:42.75	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:14:42.90	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:14:45.91	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:14:46.70	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:14:53.31	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:22:55.28	LSH	-	-	400	-	VIS int.time changed from 500ms to 400ms.
16:23:03.95	SWS	-	-	150	-	VIS int.time changed from 75ms to 150ms.
16:23:07.66	SWS	-	-	-	350	NIR int.time changed from 300ms to 350ms.
16:23:11.42	SWS	-	-	-	400	NIR int.time changed from 350ms to 400ms.
16:23:20.91	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:23:20.99	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:23:21.52	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:23:25.06	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:23:25.36	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:23:31.89	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.

16:23:34.25	SWS	-	-	100	-	VIS int.time changed from 150ms to 100ms.
16:29:15.39	LSH	-	-	350	-	VIS int.time changed from 400ms to 350ms.
16:29:21.11	LSH	-	-	200	-	VIS int.time changed from 350ms to 200ms.
16:29:24.41	LSH	-	-	-	300	NIR int.time changed from 990ms to 300ms.
16:29:28.19	LSH	-	-	75	-	VIS int.time changed from 200ms to 75ms.
16:29:31.57	SWS	-	-	-	500	NIR int.time changed from 400ms to 500ms.
16:29:57.02	SWS	-	-	-	990	NIR int.time changed from 500ms to 990ms.
16:30:01.92	LSH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:30:01.93	USH	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:30:02.81	SWS	-	-	-	-	Dark measurement started.
16:30:05.36	LSH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:30:06.13	USH	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:30:13.16	SWS	-	-	-	-	Manual scene recording started.
16:30:27.53	SWS	-	-	-	400	NIR int.time changed from 990ms to 400ms.

ARIES flight log

Flight: B314

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Date: 02/AUG/07

Operator(s): S. Rogers

Res: 1

Gain A: 2 B: 2

Loc./Notes: NEON - Hunting ships in Portsmouth Harbour.

Scans: either “[IGMs]X[co-adds]”, or “[stop DRS time]” if in start/stop, or “[macro name]”. **View:** mirror angle.

[illegible]


[illegible]

Flight:

B314

KEY

 Not Fitted

 Fitted, Not Operated



Duff Data



Minor Problems



OK

Thermometers

Cabin Temperature: 


Heimann: 

Deiced Temp: 

Non-deiced Temp: 

Hygrometers

FWVS: 

General Eastern: 

Johnson Williams: 

Nevzorov: 

Total Water Probe: 

Cameras

Downward Facing: 

Forward Facing: 

Rearward Facing: 

Upward Facing: 

Navigation + Aircraft

Cruciform GPS: 


GIN Applanix: 

INU Honeywell: 

Radar Altimeter: 

RVSM IAS: 

RVSM Static Pressure: 


XR5 GPS: 

**Report Created 20/08/2007
17:29:39**

Misc Core

AMTG: 

AVAPS: 


Cabin Pressure: 

Fax machine: 


Printer: 


S9 Static Pressure: 

Satcom C: 

Satcom H: 


Turb Centre-Static: 

Turb Left Right: 

Turb Up-Down: 


Turb Horizontal Chk: 


Turb Vertical Chk: 


Weather Radar: 

DLUs:

DLU AERACK: 


DLU BBR Lower: 


DLU BBR Upper: 

DLU Core Chem: 

DLU Core Consoles: 

DLU Port Aft: 


DLU Port Fwd: 

DLU Stbd Fwd: 

Radiometers

Lower:


BBR (clear) Lower: 

BBR (IR) Lower: 

BBR (red) Lower: 

Upper:

BBR (clear) Upper: 

BBR (IR) Upper: 

BBR (red) Upper: 

ARIES: 


DEIMOS: 

IR Camera: 


JNO2 Lower: 


JNO2 Upper: 

JO1D Lower: 

JO1D Upper: 

MARSS: 

SHIMS Lower: 

SHIMS Upper: 

SWS: 


TAFTS: 

Last Updated:

Cloud Probes

2DC: 

2DP: 

FFSSP: 

PCASP: 

ADA: 

CCN: 

CDP: 

CIP 100: 

CIP 25: 

CPI: 

CVI: 

SID1: 


SID2: 

Aerosol

CPC 3025A: 

Filters 47mm: 


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
Neph - Dry: 

Neph - Wet: 


PSAP: 

AMS: 

CPC 3025 (AMS): 

INC: 


VACC: 

CPC 3010A (CVI): 

Chemistry

CO Aerolaser 5002: 


NOx TE42C: 

Ozone TE49C: 


Ozone TE49: 

SO2 TE43C: 

TDLAS (NIR) CH4: 

TDLAS (NIR) CO2: 

FAGE: 

Formaldehyde: 

NOxy: 

ORAC: 

PAN: 


PERCA: 

Peroxide: 

PTRMS: 

TDLAS (1C): 

WAS Bags: 

WAS Bottles: 

Misc Non-Core

CASI/ATM: 

LIDAR: 

LTI: 

SAW Hygrometer: 



14/08/2007 15:49:52

Faults / Incidents Log

Flight No. B314

Date: 02/08/2007

Instruments

1. TWC – Status light flashing (TAT=-2C). EVAP 1 going below limit reading 2096 DRSU, limit = 2110 DRSU on initial climb out of Cranfield then return climb en route back
2. Ozone – instrument got very warm pre-flight but cooled down during flight.

Aircraft

Satcom-H Calls

Post Flight - Turb Probe Water Traps

1. Indicate Amount of Water: a) Nil b) 1-2 drops c) ¼ full or more d) Ice present
2. Emptied by:
3. Dried by:

Pre-Flighter's Log

Date: 02/08/07

Flight No: 18713

Pre-Flighter: SWM.

No.	✓ or x	Location	Action	Comments
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hangar	Collect Dustbin, put on a/c	
Aircraft Cabin: Power-up				
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Core Chemistry	Gases x 3 ON	
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cabin	All Racks Checked	
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fwd CorCon	All reqd CBs made	
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Aft CorCon	CBs made, PCs ON	
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HORACE	Optical Disk loaded	
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HORACE	Recording data	
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HORACE	DLU Status Checked	
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HORACE	HORACE Status Checked	
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Satcom H	Power LED ON	
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nevzorov	Checked and OFF	
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GPS	Checked	
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	INU	Align	
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cameras Pictures	Checked x 4 OK	
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Core Chemistry	Instruments Checked OK	
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Core Chemistry	CO Flows Checked OK	
17	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FWVS	Set up	NOT ON
18	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Video x 2	Records okay, Rewind	
19	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Delced Rosemount	Heater Checked / Set	
20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Heimann	Calibration Checked	
21	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TWC	ON & Checked	
22	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GE	Balance checked	
23	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	INU	Navigate then back to Align	
24	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hubs x 4	Checked ON	
25	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fwd Console	Miss. Sci Laptop CB made	& CB on Port Fwd SSP
26	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CNC	Butanol filled	
27	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dry Neph	Power up & Zero Cal	NOT REQUIRED
28	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CGPS	Set up	
29	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Miss. Sci Laptop	Checked Onboard	
Proceed to External Checks				
External Checks overleaf →				

Pre-Flighter's Log

<u>No.</u>	<u>✓ or x</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Action</u>	<u>Comments</u>
<u>External Checks</u>				
29	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Turb Probe	Clean if reqd, Photo taken	
30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	JW	Cleaned & Checked	
31	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DI Rosemount	Cleaned & Checked	
32	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NDI Rosemount	Cleaned & Checked	
33	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nevzorov	Cleaned/windings checked	
34	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GE	Cleaned & Checked	
35	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lower BBRs	Domes cleaned/checked	
36	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Camera Windows	Cleaned	
37	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Heimann	Lens checked OK	
38	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TWC Cover	Fitted if required	
39	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All other covers	Removed	
40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dustbin	Returned to hangar	
41	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tools	Check ALL in Toolkit	
42	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tools	Avalon informed	
<u>Avalon Checks</u>				Signed
43	<input type="checkbox"/>	Upper BBRs Checked & Cleaned		
44	<input type="checkbox"/>	ICEX applied		
45	<input type="checkbox"/>	Turb Probe - Traps emptied, detail contents -		a)Nil b)1-2 drops c)1/4 full or more
46	<input type="checkbox"/>	Turb Probe - Traps dried and resealed		

MISSING LOG SHEETS:

The following log sheets are not available for flight B314:

Log	Reason
Core Chemistry	no In Flight log except in cases of instrument problems
PSAP log	No log as PSAP pump/filter info included on Flight Summary page
IR camera	No log available
CVI	No operator so probably no log

Document control

Revision	Date	Author	Comments
r0	25 Sep 2007	Doug Anderson	Initial version missing the above noted logs
r1			
r2			

VIDEO RECORDINGS:

1 x Upward Facing Cameras

Digital8 video recordings from this flight reside with :

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